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ABSORBENT ELEMENT COMPRISING A LIQUID
ABSORBENT THERMOPLASTIC COMPOSITION

REQUEST FOR ORAL HEARING BEFORE
THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

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An Oral Hearing is hereby requested before the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences in the appeal of the above-identified application.

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